

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 17TH  
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR  
BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO: CACE 18-016496

KM1 and KM2, minor children  
and their adoptive parents and guardians,  
TM and MM,

Plaintiff,

v.

CHILDNET, INC., NATIONAL YOUTH  
ADVOCATE PROGRAMS, INC. and  
KIDS IN DISTRESS, INC.

Defendants.

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**REPORT OF SPECIAL MAGISTRATE**

Comes now Special Magistrate, Linda L. Vitale, Esq. appointed for purposes of presiding over depositions in this case. Special Magistrate finds and recommends as follows:

1. The undersigned was appointed as Special Magistrate by the court order of May 29, 2019 to preside at all depositions in this case.
2. The first deposition, that of Marlo Gentner, was scheduled for June 27, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at the Law Offices of Cole, Scott & Kissane, 110 SE 6<sup>th</sup> street, Suite 2700, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301
3. The witness was sworn in at 10:15 a.m. by the Court Reporter, Trish Bailey Entin from Bailey Associates (954) 358-9090. e-mail: [trish@baileyreporting.com](mailto:trish@baileyreporting.com)
4. In addition to the undersigned, the court reporter and the deponent, appearing were the following:

Appearing for the Plaintiffs, KM1 and KM2, minor children and their adoptive parents and guardians, TM and MM, Stacie J. Schmerling, Esq. and Maha ELKolalli, Esq. from Talenfeld Law, (758) 888-KIDS e-mail: [stacie@justiceforkids.us](mailto:stacie@justiceforkids.us) and [maha@justiceforkids.us](mailto:maha@justiceforkids.us)

Appearing for Defendant, Childnet, Inc. was Renee Gomez, Esq. from Marlow, Adler, Abrams, Newman and Lewis (305) 460-6549. e-mail: [rgomez@marlowadler.com](mailto:rgomez@marlowadler.com)